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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

This Amendment and Response is submitted in response to the Final Office Action dated July 17, 2007. A Request for Continuing Examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 accompanies this Amendment.

Please amend the Application as follows: